



necker to the

PATENT APPLIC ATTORNEY DOCKETNO.72523

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Richard E. Collins

Appln. No.:

10/010,435

Filed:

December 7, 2001

Title:

GLASS PANEL

Group

Art Unit:

1733

Examiner:

Not Yet Known

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C.

20231, on this date.

Date

Kenneth H. Samples Registration No. 25,747

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

This is an Information Disclosure Statement being submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 - 1.98 in connection with the above-identified application. herewith is Form PTO-1449. A copy of each of the references APR 23 2000 EC cited thereon is enclosed.

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Patent

Inventor

Issue Date

4,045,200

Salisbury

Aug. 30, 1977



FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

<u>Patent No.</u> JP 11021149 A <u>Issue Date</u> Jan. 26, 1999

OTHER DOCUMENTS

International Search Report dated June 30, 2000 English language abstract for Japanese document

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in this application to Deposit Account No. 06-1135.

Respectfully submitted,

FITCH, EVEN, TABIN & FLANNERY

Kenneth H. Samples

Registration No. 25,747

Dated: February 15, 2002

FITCH, EVEN, TABIN & FLANNERY

120 S. LaSalle Street, Suite 1600

Chicago, Illinois 60603 Telephone: (312) 577-7000 Facsimile: (312) 577-7007 RECEUTE PAPERS

PECEIVED 1700